BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 98-222-E - ORDER NO. 98-440

JUNE 11, 1998

VMR.

IN RE: Petition of AEP Conoco Energy Joint Ventures for a Declaratory Order finding that certain Joint Ventures are not Public Utilities CLOSING DOCKET or Electric Utilities Pursuant to South Carolina Statutes.

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on receipt of the request of DuPont, Conoco, and AEP Resources to withdraw their Petition for a Declaratory Order and to close the Docket in this matter.

The request to withdraw is granted, and the Docket is hereby declared closed.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director

(SEAL)